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- ✓ Gastric retentive oral dosage form with restricted drug release in the lower gastrointestinal tract

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Re Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/024,932

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Title: GASTRIC RETENTIVE ORAL DOSAGE
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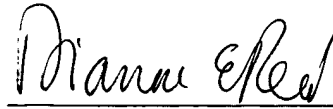
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